Naomi Wolcott, born in East Windsor, (now South Windsor,) Sept. 28, 1754, was the daughter of Capt. Gideon Wolcott and Naomi Olmsted, his second wife, daughter of Dea. Joseph Olmsted of East Hartford. Capt. Gideon Wolcott commanded one of the companies raised by the colonists in 1760 against the French and Indians. We have only this record of him, that "his contemporaries and those who knew him best regarded him as one of nature's noblemen". He died June 5, 1761. His estate was inventoried at £ 2.557.

Gideon Wolcott was the son of Henry Wolcott and Rachel Talcott his wife.

Henry Wolcott was the son of Simon Wolcott and Martha Pitkin his wife, [Brother of Roger Wolcott, Gov. of Conn. Barber p. 75.

Simon Wolcott was the youngest son of Henry Wolcott, the Founder of the Family in this country. — See Trumbull's Hist. of Conn. I:235. &c. &c.

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My grandfather, Samuel Wolcott, was the own brother of Naomi Wolcott.

Mrs Ursula Skinner (widow of the Rev. Newton Skinner) is the sister of my father, Elihu Wolcott. Mrs Robinson, of course, was her aunt.

S. W.

Rev. S. Wolcott
Recd Sept ~~4~~ 3 1867
Wolcott, Family

Providence, April 18, 1857—

My Dear Sir,

Simon Wolcott, youngest son of Henry the Founder of our Family in New England, married Martha Pitkin, a Lady of high culture, who had received an accomplished education in London, their children were

Elizabeth – Martha – Simon – Joanna – Henry – Christopher
Mary – William – Roger.

Henry (Lieut. Henry) was the father of Capt. Gideon Wolcott

Roger (Gov. Roger) was the father of Gov. Oliver Wolcott, Senior, the Signer of the Declaration.

Oliver (Gov. Oliver Sr.) was the father of Gov. Oliver Wolcott, Jr., Secretary of the Treasury under Washington, as Hamilton's successor.

Gideon and the elder Oliver, of course, were own cousins, their early homesteads were about a mile apart on the main street of what is now South Windsor, Gideon was born in 1712, being nine years younger than Jonathan Edwards, who was born on the same ~~East~~ street, ~~who~~ and whose father (Rev. Timothy Edwards) was the pastor of the former, and baptized his daughter, Naomi (Mrs Robinson).

I could furnish many biographical details in Gov. Roger Wolcott's line, having prepared a manuscript history of some 700 pages,

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but I presume that you do not want them. Your favor is not by me, but I think that the above answers your inquiries. Have been very much occupied or should have written sooner, As ever

Yours most truly,
Saml. Wolcott

Rev. Dr. Robinson –

Rev. S. Wolcott,
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